

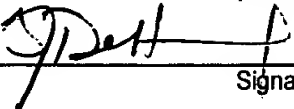


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: .09/665,915
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For: LIGHT SHUTTER DEVICE AND A DRIVING
METHOD THEREOF
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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2004, which provides for a response period ending December 8, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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